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Construction to Begin on IL 251 in Peru

Motorists to Expect Delays Beginning August 20th

Ottawa, IL The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that construction activities are scheduled to begin on August 20, 2014 on IL 251 in Peru. A \$668,725.65 contract has been awarded to Advanced Asphalt of Princeton, IL for this work. The project includes milling and resurfacing of IL 251 from the Illinois River bridge extending north past 7th Street overpass. The work will also encompass all ramps between IL 251 and US 6.

The work will be performed during the day with IL 251 traffic being controlled by flaggers and individual ramps being closed temporarily to allow the work to be performed safely. After each work day, all ramps will be opened and normal traffic patterns will resume.

Motorists can expect delays during daytime activities and should plan accordingly. No marked detours will exist for the short-term ramp closures. Estimated completion of this work is September 5, 2014.

Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.



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